GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
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GENERATION OF POWR BY NTPC
LAXMINARAYAN PANDEY

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the power in MW being presently generated by National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC) each year; and

(b) the total requirement of power in MW in the country at present and the gap between the generation and the demand of the power?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) : The present installed generating capacity of NTPC is 19435 MW.Energy generation from NTPC stations during the last three years and current year (2000-01) upto 31st October, 2000 are given below :

Year	1997-98	1998-99	1999-2000	2000-01 (Upto 31st October,2000
Generation (MU)	106,290	109,505	118,676	74,589

(b) : The peak requirement of the country during April-October, 2000 was 73567 MW and the peak met during the same period was 65628 MW leaving a shortage of 7939 MW (10.8%).